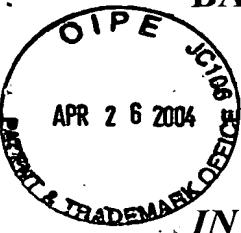


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The Memorandum Opinion & Order submitted herewith indicates that U.S. Patent Application No. 09/566,063 may disclose subject matter similar, and possibly identical in some respects, to the specification of U.S. Patent No. 6,490,093. A copy of U.S. Patent Application No. 09/566,063 is not currently available to the undersigned. However, the examiner has access to U.S. Patent Application No. 09/566,063 in the records of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office and may wish to review that patent application to determine whether it is material to the patentability of the above-captioned patent application.

None of the prior art listed on the attached PTO Form 1449 is believed to disclose or suggest the invention recited in the claims of the above-identified application. It is therefore believed that the claimed invention is patentably distinguishable over these references.

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